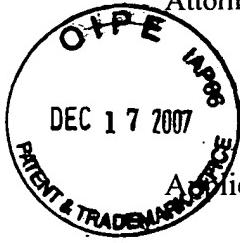


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AMENDMENT

Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated July 11, 2007, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. A Petition for Two Month Extension of Time and a Supplemental Information Disclosure are also filed herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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